HOUSE BILL 1611

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AN ACT authorizing the legislative body of any county having a population of 800,000 or more according to the 2000 census, or any subsequent federal census, to increase once each fiscal year any or all county fees charged pursuant to statute, general law or private act based upon a percentage not to exceed the percentage increase in the consumer price index for the preceding fiscal year.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary, the legislative body of any county having a population of eight hundred thousand (800,000) or more, according to the 2000 census, or any subsequent federal census, is authorized to increase once each fiscal year any or all county fees charged pursuant to general law or private act based upon a percentage not to exceed the percentage increase in the consumer price index published by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, for the preceding fiscal year. Any such increase shall be accomplished by passage of a resolution of the county's legislative body setting forth the amount of percentage increase uniformly applicable across the board to such fees, unless specifically excluded by said resolution.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.